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The prosecution is re-opened, finality on the case is withdrawn and amendment will be entered for the following reasons.

Applicant only amended (9/4/09) the claim to meet a 112 rejection. An art rejection was made and made it final (9/16/10). Applicant filed an after final amendment (11/16) but also a request for withdrawal of premature final (edan:misc incoming letter 11/16). An advisory was issued saying that the after final amendment introduced new issues requiring further search / consideration, but didnt address the aforementioned request. The applicant is correct about the final being premature.

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